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In re the application of: **Timothy S. DEBRUINE et al.** Confirmation No: **4082**

Serial No: **09/814,426** Group Art Unit: **2144**

Filed: **March 21, 2001** Examiner: **Delgado, Michael A.**

For: **Method and System For Optimizing Private Network File Transfers In A Public Peer-To-Peer Network**

ENCLOSURES *(check all that apply)*					
■	Amendment/Reply	☐	Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet	☐	After Allowance Communication to Group
■	After Final	☐	Part B-Issue Fee Transmittal	☐	Notice of Appeal
☐	Information disclosure statement	☐	Letter to Draftsman	☐	Appeal Brief
☐	Form 1449	☐	Drawings	☐	Status Letter
☐	(X) Copies of References	☐	Petition	■	Postcard
☐	Extension of Time Request *	☐	Fee Address Indication Form	☐	Other Enclosure(s) *(please identify below)*:
☐	Express Abandonment	☐	Terminal Disclaimer		
☐	Certified Copy of Priority Doc	☐	Power of Attorney and Revocation of Prior Powers		
☐	Response to Incomplete Appln	☐	Change of Correspondence Address		
☐	Response to Missing Parts	*Extension of Term: Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136, Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response for xxxxxx month(s), from to .			
☐	Executed Declaration by Inventor(s)				

CLAIMS					
FOR	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest # of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	43	43	0	$ 50.00	$ 0.00
Independent Claims	4	4	0	$200.00	$ 0.00
				Total Fees	$ 0.00

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 23, 2005:

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